

HOUSE RESOLUTION No. ____

Introduced by: Foley, Behning

A HOUSE RESOLUTION to congratulate Mooresville High School for winning the National Contest for Communication Program that spreads message against risky driving habits.

Whereas, Mooresville High School was announced as winners of the National Contest for Communication Program award on Friday, March 18th, 2005 at the National Youth Leadership Council's National Service Learning Conference in Long Beach, California;

Whereas, Mooresville High School in Mooresville, Indiana is the winner of a \$10,000 grant from State Farm® for its "Project Ignition" communication program;

Whereas, "Project Ignition" is a communication program developed by students in an effort to communicate the dangers of risky driving to their classmates and the community;

Whereas, "In a Flash" is the title of the communication project the Mooresville High School students developed to remind students to make safe driving choices, including wearing seatbelts, not using cell phones while driving, not speeding and following traffic signs;



Whereas, Mooresville High School's winning program was selected from student teams from 25 American schools around the United States, which each received \$2,000 from State Farm to develop "Project Ignition";

Whereas, Mooresville High School's "In a Flash" program incorporated student-produced videos that aired during school announcements and school events, public service announcements, posters, as well as creative programs like the anti-cell phone campaign "Don't Punch the Numbers";

Whereas, The students at Mooresville High School have shown that young adults can have a tremendous impact on their peers and the community; and

Whereas, The students' collective effort led to Mooresville High School winning the National Contest for Communication Program and they are to be commended for their dedication and hard work and congratulated for their outstanding accomplishments in their effort to reduce the numbers of teenage driving fatalities: Therefore,

*Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives do honor and congratulate Mooresville High School for winning the National Contest for Communication Program that spreads message against risky driving habits.

SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of Representatives transmit a copy of this Resolution to the Principal of Mooresville High School.

